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Dear Community Supporter:

The Learning Experience School, founded in 1977, is a private, non-sectarian, and non-profit school for children and adults with developmental disabilities (Down Syndrome, other intellectual disabilities, and autism) located here in Miami. To meet the diverse and specialized needs of our students, we offer a unique and continuous curriculum from birth through adulthood in which our students excel through individualized and small group instruction, personalized by means of periodic skills and learning assessment.

Every spring, the school has a fashion show and auction to raise funds to support these specialized programs; this year's event will take place on Saturday, **April 28, 2012** at the Doubletree Miami Airport Convention Center. This is the premier fundraiser for the school, one that is embraced by the community. In a professionally choreographed show, our students of all ages become the runway models, beaming with pride and a sense of accomplishment as they walk down the runway. The event is typically attended by over 700 members of our community and attracts quite a lot of press.

Please help us help our students! Please consider donating one or more items for our auction. This tax-free donation offered for sale at the auction will assist in funding the quality programs needed to meet the unique challenges of our students so they can reach their maximum potential and become active members of society.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call or e-mail us. We ask that all donations please be sent in by **March 30th** in order to facilitate planning and layout, as well as program acknowledgements.

We thank you in advance for your generous support and look forward to your reply.

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These are some of the TLE students who took part in previous fashion shows.

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